

Novelty Harvester's Ball October 19 in Keifer's Hall

Days Gone By

A series of articles from Irma's first local newspaper.

From the "Roseberry Tatler" as published in the fall of 1912.

The editor-in-chief tells us that the Irma folks used to drive all the way to Roseberry in those days to hear the Roseberry Tatler read. We would gather from the foregoing quotation that she sometimes got into hot water— even as we ourselves. We quote:

"The name of Sleepy Hollow is applied to business people of Irma has been deeply resented by them and wish to make it plainly understood that if the Editor and reporters do not refrain from using such name, action will be entered against them in the law courts of Alberta—Listen and take heed!"

We think our contributor must have been asleep when the Tatler was read. Our statement was that there was no truth in the rumor that the name of Irma was to be changed to that of Sleepy Hollow."

Unquote: We wonder if that made matters better or worse!

Some local items from the Tatler:

"The second annual anniversary was held in the Irma Church on December 1, 1912. The Rev. Dr. Riddell of Edmonton gave two eloquent addresses at 3 p.m. and at 7:30. The weather was not as favorable as has been. Nevertheless there was a goodly attendance."

Mr. Clark attended the Smoker in Wainwright on Friday of last week which was given by the Young Co-operatives of that town.

Mr. Woodie Clark and Mr. L. Smith left on Dec. 10 for Athabasca Landing where they intend spending the winter months.

Mrs. J. C. McLean left on Dec. 15 for Edmonton where she will spend the Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Watkinson and Miss Steele spent an enjoyable evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. Harper.

Mrs. F. E. Boothroyd was a visitor at the J. C. Stock farm from Nov. 21 to 24.

Mr. F. A. Liddle arrived on November 26 from Sudbury, where he spent the greater part of the summer.

Jarrow News

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burr visited at Hardisty on Sunday with Mrs. Burr's mother, Mrs. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Rude of Tofield were Sunday visitors at the H. A. Whidden home.

Mrs. Orachenski and Louis visited relatives and friends at Camrose on Sunday.

A few more good days and the threshermen will all be breathing sighs of relief.

Freak Accident Occurs

North of Jarrow

What might have been a serious accident occurred along the highway north of Jarrow last Tuesday evening. A team belonging to G. Theroux hitched to a hay rack and driven by Alex Holmes, was proceeding home just north of S. Bridgeman when one of the Fuder trucks driven by L. Kniceley attempted to pass the rack. The shoulder of the road being very soft, the truck turned over on its side in the ditch. The occupants of the truck Mr. and Mrs. Kniceley, and small daughter, escaped with minor injuries. Only slight damage was done to the truck. Mr. Holmes tied up the lines and went to their assistance. While he was doing this, the team became frightened and ran home. The rack which was of the basket type arrived home minus the basket. All in all, it could have been a good deal worse.

Southern Sayings

Mrs. Brian of Calgary, Alta., is visiting her daughter Mrs. Alex Cairns and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewert Sr. of Vancouver, B.C., and daughter Minnie were visiting their sons, Bill and Art Ewert last week.

Mr. Jerry Funk of Beaverflat, Sask., is visiting his sister Mrs. Art Ewert and other relations.

Easterly Echoes

Mr. Frank Crabb left Monday to accompany Mr. Jamieon on a trip through the Cariboo District of B.C.

Mr. Jack Savard has had a visit from her father Mr. Gidora and brother Kaustan of New Westminster.

The Sew and So Club have a Chicken Supper followed by a dance, planned for October 21 to be held in Roseberry School. Everyone welcome.

Mr. Harry Magee of Stettler, his wife and two sons Bill and Jimmy spent the Thanksgiving week-end at the home of his sister Mrs. James Fenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Savard were visitors to Edmonton the first of the week.

Messrs. Wm. and John Stewart of Edmonton were Thanksgiving holiday visitors at the home of their mother, Mrs. Wm. Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Campbell of Edmonton have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Fenton for the past week.

The Battle River W.I. Bazaar is to be on October 22 in Hedley's Hall and will start at 3 p.m. with the tea from 3 p.m. on. Another collection of work made from flour sacks with novelties and a table of cushions will feature the fancy work sale. Come and meet your friends at this bazaar.

Miss Doreen Simmerman was the recipient Friday of the Battle River W.I. Scholarship cheque with special mention to Miss Charlotte Milne and Clarke Steele Jr.

Mrs. M. Enger was the spokeswoman for this Institute at the presentation in the High School.

The district was saddened by news of the death on October 6 of Mr. Walter Alexander. The sympathy of all is extended to the relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Worthing and Carol were visitors at the Worthing home recently.

W.I. News

Will all members of the Irma W.I. please turn in their fancy work on or before Saturday, Oct. 22. Leave with Mrs. Zoot or any other member of the Sewing Committee.

Plans were made at the last meeting of the Irma W.I. for their bazaar, which will be held on Saturday, October 29 in Hedley's Hall. There will be a "Food Table." Donations of home-cooking, pickles, preserves, eggs, etc., will be accepted.

Rev. V. Delgatty officiated. The bride given in marriage by her father chose a floor length gown of bridal satin with lace inset at the neckline edged with roses, her veil was pink carnations.

The groom's sister, Mrs. Bruce McLeod, was bride's matron. In petal pink nylon sheer over taffeta, she also wore a picture hat made of net, her bouquet was pink carnations.

The reception was held at the home of the groom's parents. The bride's table was centred with a three-tiered wedding cake flanked by white candles. Rev. V. Delgatty spoke to the young couple and their assembled guests and ended in community singing. Several musical numbers were also rendered.

Later the bride donned her going away outfit, a wine suit, navy coat and navy off the face hat.

Sharon folk were delighted to welcome their former pastor, Rev. J. B. Stolee, last Monday evening at an informal service at the church. Rev. Stolee is at Birch Hills, Sask., but came up to rededicate Bethania church, near Sedgewick and the new altar there. Many Sharon members attended over for the festive occasion last Sunday afternoon.

This week will surely see the wind-up of threshing and combining in our district. The yield is on the disappointing side for many, but nevertheless there is still very much for which to be thankful.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Lyons and children of Wetaskiwin, were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Art Ewert and other relations.

Memorial to a Soldier of Peace



The memory and work of Count Folke Bernadotte, U.N. Mediator in Palestine who was slain in Jerusalem a year ago, is now permanently honored at United Nations headquarters by a bronze tablet. Here U.N. Secretary General Trygve Lie, in a simple ceremony, unveils the tablet. Behind him are Dr. Ralph Bunche, who carried on Count Bernadotte's work in bringing peace to the Holy Land; Sir Alexander Cadogan, permanent representative of the United Kingdom to U.N.; and Sven Grefstrom, permanent representative of Sweden, Count Bernadotte's native land, to the United Nations.

Wedding Bells

(Langley Advance, B.C.)

A very pretty wedding took place in the Pentecostal Tabernacle Church, Langley Prairie, B.C. on the evening of Saturday, October 1 when Grace Carolyn Herder, third child daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Herder of Irma, Alta., was united in marriage to Mr. Roy Fred Seifred, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Seifred, Otter Road Aldergrove.

Rev. V. Delgatty officiated. The bride given in marriage by her father chose a floor length gown of bridal satin with lace inset at the neckline edged with roses, her veil was pink carnations.

The bride's sister, Miss Hazel Herder, was bridesmaid and wore powder blue nylon sheer over taffeta, with picture hat made of net, her bouquet was pink carnations.

The grooms sister, Mrs. Bruce McLeod, was bride's matron. In petal pink nylon sheer over taffeta, she also wore a picture hat made of net, her bouquet was pink carnations.

The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Fred Seifred, Jr., and Mr. Vernon Goertz. Ushers were Mr. Bruce McLeod and Mr. Don Fivatt, both brother-in-laws.

Miss Verne Blodow was pianist and Miss Evelyn Goertz sang "I Love You Truly" before the ceremony and during the signing of the register "God Bless This House."

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After a honeymoon on Vancouver Island the couple will reside at Otter Road.

The New York Yankees proved the better team by trimming the Brooklyn Dodgers in five games. The Series featured classy pitching for both teams concerned, but the Dodgers seemed to be playing against tough luck and thus they lost out. Much interest was shown in the games by local citizens, due, no doubt, to the number of "pools" which were in operation.

News Items From Kinsella District

Mr. B. Carpenter spent a short visit with his family here on his return from California and has now left for Hamilton, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Gaynor and daughter Eunice spent the holiday week-end in Southern Alberta.

Mr. M. Gaynor's mother who has spent the last two weeks here has returned to her home in Strome.

Mr. P. Simpson of Medicine Hat spent the weekend with his nieces and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. J. McKie.

Miss Lilian Lovesteth and Miss Allison Christensen spent the holiday week-end at their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Murray and Mr. W. Johnston were visitors to the city last week.

Mr. B. Thompson and Mr. E. Townsend of Mannville visited Mrs. Townsend's mother Mrs. Jewett on Sunday.

The United Church was very tastefully decorated on Sunday for "Thanksgiving Service." Flowers were placed there by Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Carpenter in memory of their little son Jimmie.

Don't forget the CHICKEN KINSPELL sponsored by the Kinsella Ladies Aid to be held in the Church on Friday evening, Oct. 14 at 6:30 p.m.

A Congregational meeting is called for Wednesday evening at 8 p.m. As this is a very important meeting everyone is urged to attend.

Northern Nuggets

Miss Frances Bass spent Sun-

The October meeting of the Balfour Coulee will be held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Elening on Thursday, October 20. The hostesses are Mrs. F. Lukens, Mrs. E. B. Allen and Mrs. Hardy. The roll call is to be a donation for the Mystery Table—value not more than 25c. Please bring bazaar articles to this meeting.

Mrs. Stanton Coulton has been a recent Edmonton visitor.

The harvesting is nearly completed in this district now. It has been an exceptionally nice fall for harvest work.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to all our friends and neighbors who so kindly helped us in any way at the time of Russell's accident. To all those who sent him toys and books while he was in the hospital, we say thank you most sincerely—Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Rae and family.

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Community Cook Book

Featuring:
Eye Witness
Inside the Atom
Get Rid of Rats
You'll Take the High Road
The Home Town Paper
Agricultural Film (Mastiffs)
Cartoon.

Places and Dates:
Strawberry Plains—Oct. 17
Ross School—Oct. 18
Battle Heights—Oct. 19.
Park Hall—Oct. 20.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH NOTES

There will be a Thanksgiving Service held in St. Mary's church on Sunday, October 18 at 2:30 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited to worship with us at this service.

The W.A. of St. Mary's are holding a Sale of Home Cooking at Kirkman and McLean's Store on Saturday, October 22.

The October meeting of St. Mary's W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. R. W. Thurston on Thursday, October 20 at 3 p.m.

Bring above mixture to boiling point. When cool add two eggs and flour enough to make dough that will roll. One good teasp. Baking Powder, one level teasp. salt. Roll out thin and bake in quick oven.

This is the best ginger snap recipe I have ever tried.—W.T.R.

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GINGER SNAPS

1/2 cup molasses

1 cup butter or lard

1 dessert spoon soda (level)

1 tablespoon ginger (level)

1/2 teasp. cinnamon and cloves

2 cups brown sugar.

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KIEFER'S SHOWS

Friday, Oct. 14—Family Picture

Big City

Starring Margaret O'Brien and

Geo. Murphy, Ed. Arnold.

Family Picture — Friday Oct. 21

Good Sam

Starring Gary Cooper, Ann Sher-

idan.

New Type Concrete Developed To Resist Rigors Of Winter

EDMONTON—Those heaved-up highways and sidewalks that usually follow a cold winter may soon be a thing of the past. Engineers at the University of Alberta say they have developed a process which halts the destructive effects of frost on concrete. The process involves injecting tiny air bubbles into the liquid concrete.

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To aid them in their work, they built an automatic freezing and thawing unit in which they tested the effects of cold on concrete. Believed to be the only one of its kind in Canada, the unit was built two years ago.

In testing the new process, the engineers put slabs of concrete through rigidity tests, first freezing them to 20 degrees below zero, then thawing them to 70 degrees centigrade. They found ordinary concrete split up after about 25 of these freezing-heating cycles, while air-entrained concrete only partially disintegrated after 500 cycles.

The City of Edmonton, which began the initial experiment, has started using air-entrained concrete in all tubing, sidewalks and street-paving. The new-style concrete also is being used by the Alberta Public Works Department in bridge piers, and many private construction companies are starting to try it out.

In addition to its frost-resisting qualities, the concrete has a high resistance to the erosive qualities of salt used to melt road ice during the winter. Asphalt topping, previously used to mitigate salt's erosive qualities, may not be needed on roads built of this concrete.

Pleased with the success of their initial experiments, university engineers now plan on extending the air-entraining method to concrete blocks and bricks, and seeing if it works as well there.

Want A Sanderson, Mackay Or Stewart

WELLINGTON, N.Z.—Here's news for anyone named Sanderson, Mackay or Stewart aged 18 to 26, and a Commonwealth citizen.

A scholarship worth \$320 a year for three years is available to assist anyone having these qualifications to study at the Presbyterian ministry training, law, economics, business administration, "or vehicles." Although it has been advertised widely, no one has so far come forward to claim it.

The scholarship was established under the will of James Sanderson, an Auckland architect. He specified that candidates could be of either sex and need not live in New Zealand. The scholarship will be awarded every three years, but the Presbyterian Church property trustees of Wellington, are still looking for the first holder.

What Japanese Call Simplified Machine

TOKYO.—The Japanese have brought out a new simplified typewriter; it has only 1,132 keys. That means half the lot of characters of the different groups of characters to a North American typist. He or she only has to concentrate on 56 or so. But consider the Japanese old-style typewriter has 3,126 characters.

The makers of the new model simply weeded out some of the old, ponderous Chinese characters and substituted more of the fewer Japanese phonetic characters.

Also the new model works something like a typewriter. The old one operated like a wheezing typewriter with a hangover.

Experiments Reveal Toast Falls More On Buttered Side Down

VANCOUVER, B.C.—A Canadian physicist is advocating an amendment to Sir Isaac Newton's classical laws of physics:

"When an object falls, it will always fall in such a manner as to cause the most damage."

After extensive tests with buttered toast, researcher Benson Purdure said the evidence was overwhelmingly in favor of his theory.

Purdure admitted that he would like to carry on more experiments. He said, however, that he would have to get a grant from some college or scientific foundation, because funds were running low.

The experiment consisted of dropping a piece of toast, one side buttered, onto various objects from a height of four feet. The number of times the buttered side hit face-down each time was tabulated.

The first tests were carried out, he said, with a piece of three-ply veneer on the floor. Purdure reported the buttered side smacked the plywood 52 per cent of the time. This apparently was out of the law of probability, he stated.

When a worn-out rug was substituted for the three-ply, the rate of



WINNIPEG BOY IS KILLED IN AIRPLANE CRASH—Crash of this light plane 10 miles west of Fort William, Ont., killed A. H. Black of Winnipeg, Man., and severely injured student pilot, Keith McWilliams, 20, who was taken to hospital. Craft hit the ground with terrific impact, digging its nose into the earth.—S.N.S. photo.

FASHION Tennis-Racket Press Screws Make Good Buttons

PARIS.—If you get hard up for buttons next winter, just dig out the screws on your tennis-racket press and put them to work. For, according to Hermes, swank sportswear house, they are the last word in style.

They button up the fronts of dresses, decorate jacket pockets and also adorn calf-leather belts.

Another novelty introduced by Hermes is a double-sleeved sweater. One in maroon wool had over sleeves of olive-green wool. This formula was also seen on a box coat of cashmere-colored marlana wool that had over sleeves of dark tan mohair. A unique effect is obtained when the over sleeves are rolled up to the elbow.

Hermes also feature massive, full-swinging topcoats and box jackets of foot-square vivid plaid with huge low-placed pockets. A sleeveless cashmere topcoat-a-sweat tweed, set over a matching suit with a curly lamb collar, was shown.

Plain tailormades are coupled with satin shirts. One in green herringbone had a much pleated trouser skirt with a flying panel dangling from the waist.

Raphael, Spanish suit specialist, shows much fancier brands. He emphasizes hips with puffed-out peploons and jutting pockets. Many of them are collarless with weskit or fronts of leopard skin or plique.

He uses a lot of velvet and braided leather. In a double-breasted suit of fine wool he uses threads of wool for the knitted midriff portion.

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NEW HIDING PLACE

BOSTON.—Aaron Zideman, 72, who free \$200 bail after pleading guilty to a lottery charge. Police said they found several bootie slips tucked away behind Zideman's foot-long beard.

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Machine-cut nails, an important step in the development of modern building, were invented in 1786.

Student Anxious For Voyage To Planet Venus

GRAHAMSTOWN, South Africa.—There is a small group of students here who are only too eager to be on board the first rocket ship for a voyage through space.

There are senior students at Rhodes University College who for months the six months have been studying the possibility of interplanetary flight. They hope that within a few years they'll have a chance to volunteer for the first trip away from the world.

They even admit that the first voyage may be a one-way affair.

The group's study has been done privately, without connection with university courses. A main source of information has been technical material from the United States.

One of the conclusions reached by the students is that the easiest planet to be reached is Venus, not Mars.

"A much smaller velocity would be necessary to escape from the earth's gravity and reach Venus than to travel to Mars," a science student says. "This is because the membership travelling inward through the solar system, toward the sun, would be able to fall to its destination with relatively little expenditure of power. Travelling to Mars would be necessary to escape from Earth's gravity and reach Venus."

"The reverse would be true of the return trip, which would be infinitely more difficult from Venus than from Mars. For this reason the first trip to Venus is likely to be one way only."

NO TIME

No time to scan the beauty of a flower, the scene of a window or a shower; to stop and hear the lark's outpouring song, the sea in all its glory, free and strong; no time for kindly word, as passing by. No yesterday returns, how much we try; the opportunity is given today to give or gather sweetness on life's way, the soul, starve not thyself of weary things that wait not day on heavenly wings. Give thyself time to stop and share with these the gracious beauty of God's care.

—Lillian Dorset.

Buttons covered with cloth were prohibited in England in 1721.

Postage Stamp Started A Weekly Newspaper

WYNONA, Okla.—In the annals of American journalism there are few, if any, accounts of resourcefulness to match the one about the late Col. Ed Tinker.

It happened in Pawhuska in the early 1890's—about 20 years after the Osages had sold their Kansas reservation and moved to the extreme eastern portion of the Cherokee strip—and it all started from a letter he made that he could start a newspaper with a postage stamp as capital.

As long as men insist on doing the driving when they are in the car, women have a perfect right to back-seat drive, when back-seat driving is indicated.

The wager was made with a wandering printer who told Tinker he would start a newspaper for the town if he had several hundred dollars.

"What do you want with money to start a paper?" asked Tinker. "I have known newspapermen all my life and never knew one of them who ever won. I can't understand why it is necessary to have money to start one. I could start one on a postage stamp."

When the printer challenged, Tinker made up a dummy, wrote an inaugural statement, several editorials, several pages of personal and a letter to the Western Newspaper.

On a sheet of paper he had a stamped envelope and mailed it. The letter enclosed WNU to set all the copy enclosed for printing 300 copies of the Osage Chief on one side of ready-print sheets, and to ship the papers to him C.O.D. by a certain date.

By selling advance subscriptions, he raised enough money to pay Col. Tinker. He kept this up for a number of years.

Tinker, who had lived in the Osage since the transfer of the tribe from Kansas, was the father of Maj.-Gen. Clarence Tinker, the first man in Indian blood to become a general officer in the U.S. army.

The son died in the battle of Midway June 7, 1942. The older Tinker died five years later. C. Holdcock in the Publishers' Auxiliary.

—When you talk you say something you know—when you listen you learn what the other fellow knows.

Wife Should Warn Reckless Driving Husband

"Of course, I wouldn't say this to Bob. But it was bound to happen some day. You know how fast he drives," said a wife whose husband had that day landed in a hospital after an accident that never would have happened if he had not been speeding.

No, she'd never admit to Bob that his accident was a direct result of reckless driving. His driving had been scaring her to death for years, but she never complained about it.

Such fun has been made of women's back-seat driving that women men have chances with their own necks, and with the lives of their wives and children, rather than "back-seat drive."

From the time a girl starts driving, she thinks she has to put up with any kind of driving. She may be shaking inside because her date has had too much to drink to be at the wheel of a car, or because he's in a show-off mood and has decided to find out just how fast the old bug will go. But she puts a smile on her face and acts as nonchalant as he does.

After all, nobody is going to accuse her of being a back-seat driver. And if she has the misfortune to marry a man who hasn't outgrown the tendency to drive with a flourish and take chances when he's at the wheel of a car, she goes right on being a good sport about his driving.

She pretends with him when he gets into minor trouble that it was the other driver's fault instead of calling a spade a spade and saying: "Look, you had it coming and if you don't start driving more carefully you're going to get a much worse wreck one of these days."

As long as men insist on doing the driving when they are in the car, women have a perfect right to back-seat drive, when back-seat driving is indicated.

After all, just because a man is willing to risk his own life doesn't give him the right to risk the lives of his wife and children. And if his wife doesn't tell him off, who is going to?

Ontario Man Has Distinction Of Owning Rare Car

KITCHENER, Ont.—Ernest Barkes, Waterloo, can lay claim to the distinction of operating what is probably the only Rolls Royce automobile in the Twin Cities.

During the past nine years Mr. Barkes has been a resident of Canada. He attended high school in Guelph, spent some time in the army, studied at Queen's University, and is now employed at the Mutual Life Assurance Co. of Canada.

Since last February he has been piloting this well-known "down-ager" on Ontario highways.

Built in 1925, it makes midgets out of the present English automobiles. Standing almost seven feet high, it is almost 17 feet long, and weighs 2½ tons.

The driver's seat, upholstered and covered in black leather, is in a glassed-in cockpit. The door of the ship's pilot house. Operators of today's cars would be amazed at the array of dials which surround the steering post. Mr. Barkes admits that he still does not know how to drive the car correctly.

It has four forward speeds and two usual reverse. The foot pedals are standard and the car has right-hand drive. Sitting behind the wheel, looking out through the large windshield, a seeming acre of hood stretches out.

It would appear that at least 16 cylinders are under the hood. Actually there are only six, but each is served by twin spark plugs, and they manage to swallow enough gas to make aeration of the car rather expensive.

On the road he manages to get 16 miles to the gallon, but in city driving 10 is a good average. The gas tank holds 20 gallons.

The body is made of aluminum and is much thicker than the steel found in modern cars. The only signs of wear on the body are on the hood where the rotted paint has faded. Otherwise the car is as sound as the day it was made.

The car is made of wood fitted in a style that attests to the craftsmanship of its makers. Inside is mahogany paneling.

The back seat, finely upholstered, is separated by a glass and wood partition from the front.

A telephone, long unused, is mute testimony of the days when the owner "called" the driver to tell him where to stop. Above, along the roof, is a "litterine" arrangement where men put their hats.

Each door is individually locked by a four-inch key. The keyholes are protected by leather-hinged covers. The 7½ x 21 tires look as though they belonged on a truck. The spares are locked in position.

The car, guaranteed for 200,000 miles, has gone only 50,000 miles.

The petromet was an ancient and clumsy form of pistol.



BLACK-LISTED DRUG IS CREDITED WITH SAVING LIFE OF POLIO VICTIM—Eyes of the world are co-ed Mary Lou Barnes, 19, of Columbus, Ohio, seen here in three poses, who was out of bed four days after she was stricken with what her doctor said was poliomyelitis. Doctors who used a drug called glyoxydile, said her recovery was "miraculously swift." However, drug is black-listed by American Medical Association. Ten days after drug was administered to girl she was back at school.—S.N.S. photo.

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

"BINGO" It Was Bingo for More Than Abby And Rachel Stubbs.

By Louis Arthur Cunningham

ROCKY FELL, alias Phelan, aliasing and a soft bed. He turned the corner of the drive and saw a white house with many gables—Robin's Nest. Sure looked comy. Cabins here and there among the willows. A brook dammed up to make a pond. "Oh-oh!" A scarlet tunic was talking to an old lady in blue gingham on the steps. Rocky felt the gun under his armpit. Nothing to worry about. He met a party of these Mounties, pleasant chaps, all of them. The old dame said something to this one and pointed and laughed and the Mountie laughed too.

When Rocky stopped the car, the old lady came briskly down. The Mountie went into the house. "Good day, sir. Welcome. I'm the proprietor of one of them. Miss Abby Stubbs. My sister Rachel and I run Robin's Nest. You'd like dinner, a blue sedan with Illinois plates. This number, for instance, came from Arizona. The old bird who owned it would never squawk. A guy was a sucker on a lonely road to offer a stranger a lift."

"You're a pal, mister," said Rocky. He stuck a gun in the old boy's ribs. "Drive down the side road and be-ho-ho-ho and you'll find a hole as lovely." The man, his face gray-green, drove down a narrow track and at the end was an abandoned quarry with lots of water. Rocky drove the coupe back alone. He had the money and passport. He was Phillip Sumter. "I was going to Toronto," the old bird had said. "No, I don't know anyone around here. Please, mister, if you'll just take the money..."

It was easy for Rocky to forget him and a dandy like him. He was looking forward to some home-cook-

"Sure," grinned Rocky. "Sure, Miss Abby—I want the works. Chicken and hot biscuits and coffee..."

"Very good, sir. Do you want to register now or when you come back? Here's the key of Number 4, the cabin by the pond. Dinner will be ready when you are, Mr..."

"Sumter—P. H. Sumter." Rocky's gray eyes never left the smiling old ones.

"We're so glad to have you, Mr. Sumter. You have no idea." Miss Abby actually dimpled.

"Swell," said Rocky. Just the same, after he had washed up and taken a few shots from a bottle of Scotch he'd found in the old guy's locker, he sat down to eat. He sat to the front, but strolled around by the rear. He walked nonchalantly, stopping to pick a nasturtium for his buttonhole.

"I saw him first." Dear, sweet old Miss Abby's voice. "I spoke to him first. It's the money car—it's the one that pays."

"Abby-Stubbs! I noticed first. I swear I did. You never even got him to register. That's what you were supposed to do."

"You're trying to cheat me. I know you, Rachel." "You'll split the money—" Harpies—both of them! Rocky straightened up. He'd fought his way out of tighter corners than this.

"I have the proof," crowed Miss Abby. "I have the proof, to Corporal Renaut. He stopped for me. I told him, and he's waiting and when Mr. Sumter comes in—Well, I'm not going to wait; I'm going to get the corporal now."

The reason why Rocky pulled the gun on Corporal Renaut when they met at the corner of the house? "Not so easy, copper," Rocky snarled, and stared at the two trembling old sisters behind the Mountie's broad back. "Those old dames can fight some more over the \$5,000 prize. I'm not caught yet. Damn you!"

That Mountie was a heavy cop. He didn't look bushy anymore, though he was still smiling. And he didn't back up. He kept right on coming. The gun roared but it's muzzle was knocked up and a fist caught Rocky in the middle. He was still on the lawn when he came to and there was a familiar feel about his wrists. Bracelets. All it came flooding back. The harpies fighting about the reward—the big apes of a Mountie who'd worked into that gun!

They were all above him, the two old ladies with their arms about each other's waists, the Mountie looking through some papers.

"Well, it's a pinch, I guess," said Rocky. "I—anyway, those old witches will have to split the dough with you, copper. I'm glad of that. They way they fought over that blood money."

"Miss Abby and Miss Rachel," said the Mountie, "had a little pool. They put a dollar in it for every car with a different state license-plate. They were up to 47 when you came in with Arizona. Arizona was Bingo. That's how Miss Abby came to be claiming the money—48 dollars. It seems there's a bit more coming."

"Bingo!" muttered Rocky. "Bingo!" (Copyright Wheeler Newspaper Syndicate)

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By G. H. SLOUS, W.N.U.

THE town of Gull Lake, Sask., has every right to be proud these days. It produced a junior baseball club of district boys between the ages of 15 and 20 with a spirit to win that copped the Saskatchewan Provincial Championship. Their boys had played together with such a courageous spirit of winning and won over such odds that was not even considered possible for a small town squad to do.

The Gull Lake Junior baseball club made September 11th a "red letter day" in the history of the town". For it was that day that the gallant small town team whipped the smooth playing Saskatoon Saints, northern champions.

By defeating both Saskatchewan's largest city teams, the Regina Dodgers in the southern final, and which team was selected by many to win the title, and then downing the Saskatchewan's northern rivals in very frigid weather to cop the final, one readily understand the proud feelings the Gull Lake citizens have for their local boys. It was a surprise. When they made a name for Gull Lake should be printed in block letters."

The majority of the boys were born and raised in the Gull Lake district and whose parents are from the same place.

The following show the results of the various play-off series, and one can see how some of the opposing teams forced their series to the final game:

Swift Current Series

1st game, Swift Current 4-2.

2nd game, Gull Lake 10-8.

3rd game, Gull Lake 15-7.

Shackleton Series

1st game, Shackleton 4-3.

2nd game, Gull Lake 9-0.

3rd game, Gull Lake 9-1.

Rowlett Series

1st game, Rowlett 4-3.

1st game, Gull Lake 8-6.

3rd game, Gull Lake 5-2.

Regina Dodger Series

1st game, Gull Lake 3-2.

2nd game, Gull Lake 3-2.

1st game, Gull Lake 2-3.

3rd game, Gull Lake 4-2.

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WINNIPEG—Seed tests for crops grown in 1950 on the prairies were urged by Dr. F. J. Greaney, director of Northwest Line Elevators farm service.

He pointed out that the most careful cultivation given the best of the land will not produce a crop crop from poor seed. Sound seed is the most important single factor in grain crop production, Dr. Greaney said.

Suggested seed tests were for five main qualities: germination; smut and other seed carried diseases; content of weed seeds; mechanical seed injury; and purity of variety.

Conditions this year—drought, seed growth, heat and frost—will affect the supply of high quality grain, Dr. Greaney said, which means loss to the farmer through lower yields and grades or because he has to buy new seed.

Official government tests of seed samples can be obtained from the plant products division of the agriculture department in Winnipeg, Saskatchewan or Calgary. These results, the farm service director warned, are the only ones which can be legally used in advertising seed grain for sale.

RAT EVIDENCE

EDMONTON—Oil worker Angus MacDonald added further evidence to reports that Alberta is being invaded by rats. His jeep ran over a rat more than a foot long and weighing about six pounds.

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round balls. Place in greased pans and let rise until double in bulk. Pierce tops with fork and brush with milk. Sprinkle with sugar and shortening. Combine 3/4 cup brown sugar, slightly powdered with 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 cup dried fruit, dry cake or frozen crumble and 1/2 cup melted butter or shortening. Sprinkle crumble on top of cakes. Let rise about 15 minutes. Bake at 400° for about 20 minutes. Serve hot, with butter.

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Power Shortage Looms Ahead

Remember the power crisis in Vancouver late last winter when lack of precipitation lowered the B.C. Electric Company's reservoirs?

And remember the trouble in Ontario a year ago when power had to be rationed because of low water levels?

Southern Alberta is heading straight into a similar crisis although no real hardship will be worked if heavy rains come soon.

"We are much concerned about the situation that is developing," G. A. Gaherty, President of Calgary Power Ltd., told The Albertan.

Calgary Power, which serves Calgary and much of southern and central Alberta, gets most of its power from the Bow River system above Calgary. All of its five hydro plants are dependent upon mountain run-off for their water. Last winter the snowfall was lighter than normal, and since then precipitation in the mountains has been exceedingly light. The Calgary figures, 4.74 inches since April 1, compared with a normal of 12.13 inches, suggests how serious the drought has been in the mountains that water the Bow and its tributaries. Actually the flow of the Bow River has been lower this year than it was ever known to be before, according to Mr. Gaherty and the dominion water and power bureau.

On the other hand, the "load" of Calgary Power is constantly increasing. More farm systems are being hooked up every day. New industries by the dozens are demanding and getting large supplies of electricity.

The Spray project, which will start turning out power in 13 months, will almost double the Company's hydro output but it won't have its storage in use until the next spring. In the meantime the water shortage is greatly aggravating what would have been a serious crisis even with normal river flow.

The company hopes to get through the winter with no serious problems.

power rationing, but only the weatherman will decide.

In the meantime all possible steam-generated electricity is being purchased. The Company is concluding a new agreement with Edmonton's large new municipal steam plant, whereby it will obtain about 90,000,000 kilowatt hours in the next year at a cost of about half a million dollars. Further, Calgary Power is buying from Canadian Utilities steam plants, and from the Lethbridge plant. It operates the 14,000-kilowatt steam plant in Calgary and is currently converting it from a half-coal, half-gas basis to all-gas.

The agreement with Edmonton, incidentally, is reciprocal. Calgary Power agrees to supply Edmonton in emergencies. During the last emergency, several weeks ago, when all of Edmonton was suddenly cut off, Calgary Power met its commitment, although it had to cut down the nitrogen plant at Calgary from 27,000 to 7,000 kilowatts to do so.

Although every drop of water in the Bow is being carefully conserved and utilized in this emergency, it will be recalled that even with low winter precipitation and light spring run-off, the Bow was flowing high and fast in May, with much of the run-off going right past the several plants and serving no useful purpose. Anywhere on its long flight to Hudson Bay. If more of that water could have been conserved, the shortage would not be so serious now.

It can be conserved in two ways. One is by protecting and improving the natural covering where the winter snow falls, so the moisture is released slowly throughout the whole of the summer. The other method, more expensive, is to build reservoirs. The Spray project will provide much additional reservoir space.

If it rains a good deal this fall, Calgary Power will get through the winter. And if it gets through the winter and the next, the crisis will probably be over, for at least several years.

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World of Wheat

By H. G. L. Strange

Surpluses and Low Prices

Every conceivable experiment has been tried by man throughout the ages to distribute food in a world that always has been and still is hungry, and to prevent temporary unmarketable surpluses from depressing prices to farmers. These plans have all failed. At present marketing and distribution is being done by Government by bulk-buying and selling under International Agreements, with the promise of security to farmers. Authorities on marketing, however, are beginning to believe that this may not work, and that there may again be temporary surpluses, and Governments may be unable to prevent prices failing to low levels. The Food and Agricultural Organization are now proposing and other commodities should be done through the regular trade channels, but that an International Commodity Clearing House should be set up which with five billion dollars subscribed by all countries would stand ready to buy up quickly at market prices unmarketable surpluses before they depress prices, and that the organization would then sell these temporary surpluses at greatly reduced prices to certain countries in grave need of food, and which could not afford to buy at regular market prices.

DRIVING HAZARDS ARE STILL TAKING TOLL

Approach of the fall driving season brings to light two dangers which are pointed out by officials of the AMA.

One of the most serious is the lurking menace of carbon monoxide which takes a number of lives every year. This danger can be guarded against by keeping the car windows open in cold weather when the vehicle is being warmed up.

Too often, carbon monoxide does its deadly work in garages when all car windows are closed and there is no outlet for poisonous fumes.

AMA officials also stress the need of avoiding accidents at level railway crossings, which continue to take an alarming toll of motorists.

With a shorter period of daylight approaching, there is need to be on the alert at every railway crossing. Take no chances. Take it easy at these crossings just as at every other danger spot on the highway.

Also, the observance of safe driving principles at all times includes special care at railway crossings. Thousands of lives are taken at these crossings in the U.S. and Canada every year. They are a deadly menace just as lurking carbon monoxide.



There were approximately 62,000 households in Newfoundland and Labrador at the time of the 1945 census. Of these, 82 per cent consisted of single families with or without relatives, lodgers, servants, and so forth.

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But there is another aspect to the question that is so obvious it may well be unappreciated if not overlooked entirely. It is the thought that civilization today would know practically none of the amenities it now takes for granted unless someone, somewhere had first saved some money.

The kind of saving that has led to the development of our natural resources and the building of our highly industrialized nation began back in the days of the earliest settler. Our forefathers handed down their incomes and invested their savings in the development of the land around them, in the businesses they were building up to serve others and, in the final analysis, in the general economic development of their country.

Life is more complex today than it was then. There are more demands on our income, for one thing, and we have become accustomed to a standard of living which in those days would have appeared luxurious. But the things that have been done to make it easier for us to save go a long way toward compensating for this.

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Bank of Montreal Crop Report

ALBERTA — Late frosts have lowered yields in all except the southern and the east-central border areas. In central districts, grain yields are light. In the Peace River and Eastern areas, harvesting is in full swing; yields are spotty. Heavy frosts have reduced the sugar content of the beet crop.

SASKATCHEWAN — Harvesting of wheat has been completed throughout the Province, but in the northern portion rain has delayed threshing of coarse grains and seed crops. Another week should see the virtual completion of harvesting operations. Except for the crop failure areas of southern and central Saskatchewan, reports indicate fair to good grain yields.

MANITOBA — Harvesting is completed, except for the sugar beet, sunflower seed and flax crops, in which operations are well advanced. Fall cultivation is almost finished. The sugar beet crop will be satisfactory, but below earlier expectations. Honey production is estimated to be below average.

CHINESE STEWARDESSES FOR CANADIAN PLANES
A new and charming addition to the ranks of Canadian air lines stewardesses are these three Chinese girls, slated for duty on the Canadian Pacific Air Lines flights from Vancouver to Tokyo and Hong Kong. Shown being welcomed at Vancouver airport by their Canadian colleagues, the girls will soon shed their picturesque Oriental costumes for C.P.A. stewardess uniforms, and will share duties with Canadian girls on the 6,500-mile run, one Chinese and one Canadian girl to each plane. On the C.P.A.'s Australian service, Australian and Canadian stewardesses share duties. Left to right are Lorraine Ngu, Shanghai Minerva Dunkerley, Vancouver; Joyce Lam, Hong Kong; Barbara Aycliffe, Port Alberni, B.C.; and Gloria Woo, Hong Kong. A fourth Chinese lass, Dulcie Hall, of Hong Kong, arrived in Vancouver earlier.

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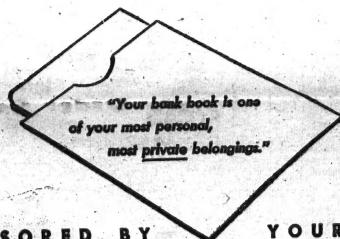
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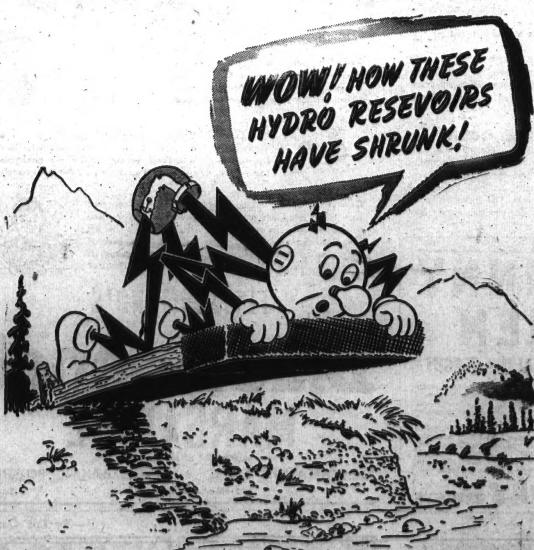
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Viking Items

Friday and Saturday, November 18 and 19, are the dates for the Viking Elks annual carnival in the Community Hall. The committee in charge says there will be two nights of fun for all with a lot of new games and good prizes.

Among the interesting events given away every fifteen minutes is a five dollar bill to some one in the hall.

Tickets will also be on sale this week on a draw for a chrome kitchen suite, and a lady's or gent's bicycle.

There's going to be music, color and frolic. Proceeds go towards the Elks community efforts.

Four ringerers and many other handsome prizes will be something to curl for at the open bonspiel being promoted by the Viking Curling Club. This was decided at a meeting of the Club held in the rink last Friday evening. The dates set are January 16 to 21, 1950. A committee consisting of Ken Hilliker, Ed Stiles, Cecil Runyon, Johnny Hafso, Sandy Ross and H. G. Thunell is planning the details. The entry fee will be \$40 per rink, and personnel of all rinks must be members of their home club wherever it might be. Watch for posters and other publicity material out in due time. Thespiel is to be limited to 48 rinks.

W. E. Elliott, former principal of schools here, and now having a similar position at Fort Saskatchewan, was calling on friends here over the weekend, and incidentally digging up spuds and other products of his garden. He finds life at the Fort quite acceptable but misses our natural gas—especially his wife when it comes cooking and baking time.

Hon. J. W. Stambaugh, senator from Bruce, was a pleasant caller in town this week. He finds the work in the senate very interesting and is picking up the routine of being an active senator among a very distinguished body of men and women. Mr. Stambaugh addressed a meeting of the Vermilion Board of Trade last Friday evening as a guest speaker, when he outlined his views on what he considered his job as a senator should be.

Rev. J. B. Stolee, former pastor of the Golden Valley Lutheran Church here, now located at Birch Hills, Sask., was a guest at the Rev. Saugen home over the Thanksgiving holiday. Rev. Stolee also attended the dedication of the new altar of the Bethania church, north of Sedgewick during his stay here.

The Viking United church was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday, October 5, at 2 p.m. when Ruth Florence, daughter of Mrs. E. Whitten and the late Mr. W. J. Whitten, was united in holy wedlock to Ervin Arnold Schmautz of Vancouver, B.C., the Rev. Fred Forster officiating.

Given in marriage by Mr. H. G. Thunell, a long-time friend of the family, the bride wore a floor-length gown of white sheer silk and a floor-length veil with head-dress of white stones and seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of American beauty roses.

George Walker shot a Mallard Duck on October 3 near his farm north-west of Viking. The duck was banded with No. 497-63143, of the Fish and Wild Life Service, Washington, D.C.

We are going off the subject of sports when we inform the public of the Search for Tale T'Slow that is coming here on Saturday, Oct. 15. However, as the proceeds go towards the Crippled Children's Fund, it is, indeed, worthwhile mentioning. Those you intend to participate should contact H. Atkinson and in the meantime practice diligently so as to make this show a bang-up success.

The newly installed street lights were turned on last Friday. The posts for the new lights are staggered from one side of Main street to the other instead of down centre. Whether the new lights are an improvement at the extra cost of \$350.00 per year is for the rate-payers to judge.

The Kinsella Students Union is sponsoring a dance on Friday, Oct. 14 in the Kinsella Hall. Popular admission. Lunch free. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Brooke and Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Loney attended the Shriners banquet and convention held in Edmonton last Saturday. Shriners from Montana were guests of the Alberta Shriners at the conclave.

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SEEDTIME and HARVEST

By DR. F. J. GREENEY
Director
Line Elevators Farm Service
Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Education For Agriculture

Farming is an art as a science.

It is also a profession. Just as the successful doctor, the lawyer or any professional man must continue to study during his whole career in order to keep up-to-date, so should the progressive farmer make use of all means at his disposal to keep abreast of progress in his special branch of farming.

Knowledge is Power. In farming there are more than in any other profession, knowledge is power—it spells success. The present-day farmer, if he is to farm successfully, must have some knowledge of the modern science of agriculture. But what is more important he must be able to put that knowledge into practice.

Agricultural Courses

To meet the educational needs of agricultural people, the Faculties (Colleges) and the Provincial Schools of Agriculture in the Prairie Provinces offer a wide variety of courses in Agriculture and Home Economics. No country in the world possesses better institutions and facilities for training and educating young people to work in the field of agriculture than does Western Canada. The following courses are offered: (1) The Degree Course in Agriculture or Home Economics. This course is for those young men and women who have the necessary University entrance requirements and can devote 4 or 5 years to its completion. (2) The Short Courses. This is a down-to-earth practical farming course for young men who intend to be farmers. It extends over two winter sessions. (3) Short Courses. A number of short courses are offered in many fields of agriculture (Dairying, Poultry, Live Stock, Field Crops, Home Economics for Homemakers, etc.). Most of these winter courses are of one or two weeks' duration. They are designed to meet the special needs and interests of farm men and women.

Plan now to attend one of these courses this fall or winter. Line Elevators Farm Service urges young farmers to attend this opportunity of fitting in themselves for rural living in Western Canada.

For further information write directly to your nearest provincial University or School of Agriculture,

SEEDTIME and HARVEST

By H. L. MATHER,
Assistant to Director,
Line Elevators Farm Service,
Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Fall Cultivation Important

Moisture, as so many farmers experienced again this year, is the most important factor in successful crop production in the Prairie Provinces. Cultivation, if properly carried out this fall, will destroy weeds and thereby conserve moisture for next year's crop.

Annual Weeds. Our most troublesome annual weeds are Wild Mustard, Wild Oats, Pigweed, Ragweed and various grasses. Fall cultivation immediately after harvest will encourage many annual weed seeds to germinate this fall. The resulting plants will be killed by frost. Fall cultivation has been particularly effective in controlling Russian Thistle.

Biennials or Winter Annuals. These are typical weeds. The seeds of this weed germinate freely in the fall. Unfortunately, the young plants survive the winter frosts without serious injury and are ready to grow early in the spring. Fall cultivation is therefore an effective means of controlling Sweet Cicely and other winter annuals.

Pests. We must be careful not to eradicate perennial weeds (Canadian Thistle, Sow Thistle, etc.) by summer-fallowing because cultivation is not carried on into the late fall. Often during the rush of harvest, the fallow is neglected. This allows perennial weeds, which have been weakened by repeated cultivation, to grow during the winter to produce new top growth and store food in the roots. Fall cultivation is most important for the control of perennial weeds. Furthermore, it helps to control insect pests such as grasshoppers and sawflies. Fall tillage also greatly reduces the vigor of perennial weeds growing on stubble land.

Cultivate Early. Fall cultivation should be done as soon as the crop is harvested. Do not cultivate too deeply. Shallow tillage will not only destroy weeds but will be less wasteful of soil moisture. It will also help to prevent a trash cover which will serve to hold in the winter snow.

The main object of fall cultivation is to conserve all of the autumn's rainfall for the next year's crop.

Kill weeds and save moisture.

Conservation Of Resources

IN RECENT YEARS INCREASING attention has been paid to the need for conserving the natural resources upon which we depend not only for prosperity, but for survival in the years to come. In Canada we have seen and heard a great deal concerning the conservation of soil and the importance of this work to the present and future world food supplies. However, it is apparent that resources other than the soil are now showing the results of having been exploited in the past with little concern for the time when they would be less plentiful. Now industrialists, scientists and governments are facing the problems created by diminishing supplies of timber, coal, oil and other vital materials found in nature.

Must Conserve Natural Wealth Reduced supplies of natural resources have a widespread effect upon industrial production. Steel, building materials and in turn many industries dependent on these materials, will suffer if supplies of coal, iron and timber become exhausted. It is now realized that thought must be given to means of conserving the natural wealth which remains and of learning new methods of production which will be less wasteful and more efficient from the point of view of giving the utmost use of these materials. Recently representatives from fifty countries now faced with problems of this kind, met at Lake Success, New York, to discuss ways of dealing with what were termed "critical shortages".

Believe Talks To Be Of Value At this United Nations Conference on the Conservation and Utilization of Natural Resources, Canada was represented by twenty-nine delegates, led by Dr. Hugh Keenleyside, Deputy Minister of Mines and Resources. It was considered to be an encouraging sign that the problem has been recognized to be sufficiently serious to merit international discussion and it is to be hoped that the interchange of information and ideas at the conference may have been of material benefit to the countries represented there. At the close of the meetings some of the five hundred scientists, administrators and technicians who had attended stated that it was already evident that the discussion had been of value. Others were less enthusiastic and believed that it would take some time to discover what progress had been made, if any. However, all agreed that the contacts between the delegates, and the opportunity to discuss mutual problems had been of value to all of them. It is encouraging to see such matters approached from an international viewpoint and whether or not great progress was made at this first meeting, it has shown that many countries can be brought together to discuss peacekeeping problems of concern to all of them. It is to be hoped that such meetings may eventually lead to many practical improvements in our present economic and social conditions.

A Hard Winter?

Moose Jaw beekeepers reported early in August that the bees seem to be preparing for their winter hibernation and are filling the brood nests of the hives with honey, instead of pollen, the queen bees to work on the larvae.

Jim Bland, owner of Bland's Apiaries, has found the unusual condition in his 120 hives located in the Moose Jaw and Mortlach districts.

He said the bees are packing honey in their brood nests, the bottom halves of the hives, as if for winter storage, instead of putting the honey in the honey supers atop the brood nests.

Mr. Bland said beekeepers do not know why the bees are acting in this manner but he said it might be that the bees believe there are signs of an early winter, or a short, cool year.

To Feel Right — Eat Right

FUNNY And OTHERWISE

She: "Who is the greatest woman in the world?"
He: "I don't know."
She: "Your mother."
He: "My mother?"
She: "Yes. To whom do you owe more than you can ever repay?"
He: "My landlady."

Little Willie came home after playing a tough game of foot ball.

"Ma," he said, "you once told Aunt Mary that I had your eyes and daddy's nose. Well, look at me now. I'm like grandpa—no teeth."

The young couple were finding out about the joys of a joint bank account.

"The bank has returned your initial cheque," said the husband grimly.

"Goody," gurgled the bride. "What should I buy with it next?"

Salesman: "What kind of car would you like, medium, four, six or eight cylinders?"

Timid Customer: Could I be gin with one?"

"I've been going out with the same girl every Monday and Friday for six years."

"Then why don't you marry her?"

"What! And have nowhere to go on Mondays and Fridays?"

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson were known as the ideal couple—never a dispute or a harsh word between them. Thompson, asked how he did it, explained:

"Why, it's a very simple arrangement. In the morning she does what she wants and in the afternoon I do what she wants."

Alfred: "Why does Bertram only send one flower a day to Ethel?"

Tom: "He's saying it with flowers, and he stutters."

G. W. SMALLWOOD SAYS "30" TO NEWSPAPER PUBLISHING



G. W. SMALLWOOD

ONCE again the West is losing one of its pioneers in the weekly newspaper field in the person of G. W. Smallwood, editor and publisher of The Star City Echo, who through ill health has been forced to quit a vocation that he dearly loves. Mr. Smallwood has become rather an institution to the weekly newspaper game, having worked in it and the printing trade for 52 years.

He served his apprenticeship in worked too deeply into his veins, he London, England, and coming to bought The Star City Echo, publishing it until the end of August.

Besides his newspaper work Mr. Smallwood has been an active member in boards of trade and in Melfort, Sask., he bought the Kristino Representative from James A. Kerr in April, 1915. For

31 years he published The Representative, and then in December of 1935 he moved to Spiritwood, Sask., where he published a paper for one year when fire destroyed his plant. Then for four years, to use his own words, "rested" on his farm at Shell Lake, Sask., but as the printer's ink had

Western Briefs

POLICE BEATEN

VANCOUVER—More than 65 percent of all patients at General Hospital this year have been cured and the 1940 polio wave is declining. Metropolitan Health Committee was told by Dr. Stewart Murray, chief city medical health officer.

NEW DRIVE IN THEATRES

REGINA—A new drive-in theatre will be built at a cost of \$150,000 will open in Regina next spring. E. A. Zorn, Winnipeg, district manager of Famous Players Theatres corporation said. Similar theatres are to be constructed at Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan and Brandon, he added.

BEAVER POPULATION

WINNIPEG—The inside story of what Manitoba's beaver population has been increased to more than six times what it was in 1942, is contained in the latest issue of the provincial government publication, the Keystone Prince, just released by the bureau of travel and publicity.

CLIMATE HELPS FUR

SAITKA, British Columbia's damp climate is a big factor in improving the quality of the province's ranch-grown mink pelts, says Vic Nesbit, president of the B.C. Association of Fur Breeders. The association recently put \$210,000 worth of mink furs on show at the Pacific National Exhibition here.

FARMER SMOTHERED

SPRITZ RIVER, Alta.—Ronald Goulet, 29-year-old farmer missing 12 hours, was found smothered under a load of his own wheat when his wagon was emptied at the elevation here. A man who found the empty wagon box under an old coat, he was not noticed by the combine operator who dumped a hopper load of grain on him in the darkness.

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THE TILLERS



Extensive Oil Survey Starts In Saskatchewan

REGINA.—Royale Oil company, Calgary, one of Canada's top independent companies, has started a seismic survey of a 250,000-acre crown permit centering on a point 84 miles west of Saskatchewan and 42 miles south of Unity.

The company took the permit over from John L. Graham and associates of Toronto on a deal that will give Royale 75 per cent. of the land eventually taken under lease and Graham 25 per cent. checkerboard through the leased area in quarter sections.

The geophysical survey is being made by the Farney Exploration company.

Royale also has a Mayes-Bevan gravimeter crew surveying a crown permit of 250,000 acres covering an area 42 miles wide and 30 miles deep, centring on a point 21 miles east of Unity.

The property was gained from Calvin Snyder of Estevan, original holder of the permit, on a deal involving cash and a 2½ per cent. overriding royalty on any gas or oil found.

In the recent land play in Saskat-

chewan Royale leased upwards of 100,000 acres of freehold land in a strip running northwest from Estevan to Humboldt. The land was taken up on the basis of 1½ sections to the township and runs through crown permit holdings of Soho, Tidewater and Husky-Phillips oil companies.

Any future activity depends on the outcome of the current surveys and Royale officials have stated they are interested only in the speedy development of their Saskatchewan holdings.

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Road Construction Gangs May Find Lost Gold Mine In Alberta

CALGARY, Alta.—Road construction gangs driving through the foothills of the Rockies may find a fabulous lost gold mine that has been responsible for five violent deaths since 1879. The road is being built from Morley, Alta., to Coleman, Alta., in the southwest foothills of the province. It is being constructed by the newly created East Rockies Conservation Board to assist in fire-fighting along the mountain slopes.

According to J. D. Middlemass, secretary of the board, the 70-mile (of gravel) road will pass through the territory lying between the Highwood and Old Man Rivers. It is somewhere in this area that the legendary lost Lemon Mine is believed to be located.

The story of the Lemon Mine is one of murder and mystery.

According to the tale told by prospectors and hunters the mine was first discovered in 1879 by Joe Lemon and a companion named Blackjack. During an argument Lemon shot Blackjack and killed him. He later returned to stake the mine but, unknown to him, two Indians who had watched the slaying had removed all trace of the workings. Lemon could not find the spot. He died some years later in Texas.

Since that time, many men, including Lafayette French, have sought the mine but died in cabin fire before he could reveal the location spent years in the search. One Indian, King Bearspaw of Pe-

Care Of New-Born Calf — Profitable

Proper care given to the new-born calf is well repaid in subsequent growth and general health. Since the calf at birth is highly susceptible to disease, a clean, dry, well-bedded maternity stall, free from dirt, is essential. To avoid infection, apply an antiseptic such as tincture of iodine to the navel.

It is important that the calf get the mother's colostrum. The antibodies found in the colostrum protect the new-born calf against diseases, particularly those of the digestive system. The vitamin A content of colostrum may be 10 to 100 times that of ordinary milk; it is also richer in other vitamins and minerals, and contains up to 17 per cent. more protein than ordinary milk. After young calves have a low stage of vitamin A, and requires a large amount of protein, the colostrum is readily seen.

A common practice is to leave the calf with its mother for the first day. It is not advisable, however, to leave the calf with the cow for more than 24 hours as an excess quantity of milk may cause scours. The practice followed at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, says V. S. Logan of the Animal Husbandry Division, is to leave the calf with the mother several hours after birth, long enough for its coat to dry, then wash the calf.

The natural colors—grays, light tan, light blues and light greens—have a tendency to "milk up on you."

Bright Colors Safer For Autos

CHEYENNE, Wyo. — If you like your car painted in a loud color you'll have less chance of an accident, an engineer for the Wyoming Highway Department said.

John E. Wiley said flamboyant colors are far safer than those which match the terrain. "They can be better for other drivers."

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PART OF TRAINING

EASTCOTTON, Middlesex, England.—Teaching dogs to walk, part of the pupils training to look after animals to give them "a sense of responsibility." Among the pets at the school are a goat, a guinea pig, a rabbit and a white mouse and family.

DALMATIAN DOG

The coach dog or Dalmatian was first bred in Dalmatia, was common in Spain in the 16th century, and in Denmark is often used to draw carts.

Its neck is turned to the side to keep it in the corner and stand astride its neck to keep it in one position.

Holding a nail containing a small amount of fresh, clean colostrum in one hand, dip the finger of the other hand in the milk, and while the calf is sucking the fingers, work its nose down to the milk. Gradually withdraw the finger from the calf's mouth until there is at least one of the nose for a short time. With patience and a few repetitions of this process, the calf will soon learn to drink.

The calf will learn to drink more readily if it is allowed to become quite hungry, feeding about 12 to 15 hours after separating it from its mother. The easiest method of training the calf is to turn it back if it tries to stand astride its neck to keep it in the corner and stand astride its neck to keep it in one position. Holding a nail containing a small amount of fresh, clean colostrum in one hand, dip the finger of the other hand in the milk, and while the calf is sucking the fingers, work its nose down to the milk. Gradually withdraw the finger from the calf's mouth until there is at least one of the nose for a short time. With patience and a few repetitions of this process, the calf will soon learn to drink.

Always be sure that the nail used has been thoroughly cleaned. Avoid over feeding in the early stages. A good start insured by care at birth will often save time and expense later.

Facial Decorations All Have Meanings To The Hindus Of India

The caste system, peculiar to Hindus in India, provides not only social barriers but a means of personal decoration.

The simplest caste mark is a round spot on the forehead representing prosperity, joy, and not worn during mourning or fast days. Widows are forbidden to use this sign. It represents the ascetics, besides wearing round necks and matted hair, smear their bodies with ashes. Beggars suspend from their necks a metal mask, thus symbolizing the general poverty structure.

Bairagis, ascetics, besides wearing round necks and matted hair, smear their bodies with ashes. Beggars suspend from their necks the image of the god, for which they beg. Muslim dervishes sometimes carry peacock feathers.

Women sometimes paint their faces, arms and feet with a paste of turmeric, so that they may shine like gold. The red liquid supposed to avert the evil eye may have had its origin in the blood of a slaughtered animal, used in former times.

Color is no indication, however, in particular purpose. The Muslim dervish likes green, the Sikh Akali chooses blue, the Sanyasi prefers orange.



"BUT BABY, IT'S COLD OUT HERE" — To cheer up all you people who are suffering from the heat, take a look at this nice cool picture from Australia, where it is now midwinter. At Rocky Valley in Victoria, Australia, April 16 miles west of Melbourne, a blizzard has buried the quarters of 200 state electricity commission workers who had to be evacuated to lower altitudes. However, as they left, they wrote a promise to return in the spring in the snow. In July, Australia was buffeted by a blizzard that isolated dozens of towns and killed tens of thousands of sheep and the weather has since had a cold front is moving south carrying blizzards that may be worse than those that blocked roads with 10 feet of snow recently.—S.N.S. photo.

Polio Panic Can Be Worse Than Disease Itself Says Doctor

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK.—Polio is hitting millions of children and parents this year.

This panic isn't new. It comes from fear, and from ignorance or misunderstanding of what is known about infantile paralysis.

The fear and panic over polio can be very real, Dr. Van Rensselar, medical director of the United States national foundation for infantile paralysis.

Many parents break out with the polio jitters each summer. They torment themselves with worry. Their homes and children get upset.

Often, children are forbidden to swim, play music, go to school, to go up and down the house, or forbidden to swim. Camps, movies or a trip into town are banned by some parents.

The fact is that such steps do no good and the result is emotional harm to the children, by giving them the idea that some unknown terror is abroad.

No one wants polio. And no one wants to get hit by it, can we cross our fingers street? The best you can do is to observe the traffic-safety rules. Even then you might be hit. But that slim chance doesn't keep you glued to the corner, afraid to go across.

"Parents and their children would be far better off if they took the same reasonable attitude toward polio," Dr. Van Riper said.

There are some fictions about polio, untrue facts as cited by Dr. Harry M. Wechsler, research director of the foundation.

Fiction: Polio is the worst of all childhood diseases.

Fact: Polio in any recognizable form is relatively rare.

Fiction: Crowds are the most dangerous place for picking up polio.

Fact: Polio is a communicable disease, apparently spread by intimate personal contact, such as occurs at home. It apparently takes time and patience to contract it.

Fiction: You shouldn't swim during the polio season.

Fact: Swimming in polluted waters is foolish, for the virus may be present. But there's no evidence that anyone ever got polio from swimming "at a clean pool or beach.

Fiction: Every person getting polio

completely. About 20 per cent are left with minor handicaps. Fifteen to 20 per cent. may be badly handicapped, and five to 10 per cent may die.

Fiction: Cause of polio is not known. Prevention is hopeless.

Fact: It is caused by one of the tiniest disease organisms. There is not yet any vaccine to prevent it, but one probably will be developed soon. Best protection is good health rules.

Fiction: Polio epidemics follow long spells of hot, dry weather.

Fact: Polio occurs all the year round, reaching its peak in summer.

Dry, hot weather doesn't help to spread it any more than rainy weather, so far as is known,

REMOTE FITTING

Why do the clothes of the Emperor of Japan fit so badly? Because the emperor cannot be touched by a commoner, so that his clothes must be satisfied with an estimate of the royal measurement from 20 feet.



TRAIN PINS CAR — One man was killed, two were injured and two escaped when they jumped from a car after it was struck by a train near Puslinch, Ont. Train crew and spectators had to pry the wrecked car shown here away from the engine.—S.N.S. photo.

Says Sneeze Is Nature's Germ Killer

LONDON, — Never back-fire a sneeze—let it rip.

That is the advice of 80-year-old Dr. Octavia Lewin, formerly medical consultant to the London County Council and one of London's oldest women doctors.

All her life this kind, but peppery old lady has preached the virtues of nose hygiene and the science of the handkerchief.

The sneeze is Nature's way of blasting away germs, yet every day you see silly tools stifling their noses in pocket handkerchiefs. That is not the way to use your handkerchief."

Dr. Lewin is equally vehement about the proper use of what she calls, "Nature's dustbin"—the nose.

The entire British Army has been brought up to breathe wrongly. They breathe in through the nose and out again through the mouth.

"That is all wrong. It should be through the nose both ways. Napoleon had the right idea. When his men were on the march they had to hold a leaf beneath their lips so that no whiff of air could get in or out."

At Battersea Barracks men still talk of the time when Dr. Lewin insisted on Queen's Guards for physical fitness.

"That is all wrong. It should just shout 'Shun' to the cat-calls when Dr. Lewin stepped up to him and said: 'Young man, your collar is too tight.'

"A tight collar is a menace," she says. "It creates the need for more air. If the collar gets too tight, the nose, hence the mouth is forced open. You don't find the great people in the land wearing tight collars."

Pointing to a picture of a group of Birthday Honors recipients, Dr. Lewis said: "Look at this—men who have done something. All have their mouths shut."

"Look at the girls in glasses, you see walking along the streets 90 per cent. of those mouth breathers have enlarged tonsils and adenoids and poor eyesight."

"No wonder the medical profession is critical of my methods. They get a large portion of their income from stopped-up noses."

Dr. Lewin is sorry because the London County Council has discontinued the handkerchief drill she introduced in London schools some years ago.

"Large sums of money are spent by our glorious government on ears and eyes, but rhinology is the unloved and neglected part of biology. It is criminal," she declared.

45 Days Still Lives

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HOMER, La.—Shag, a three-year-old bird dog, lapped up small handfuls of hamburger and began to gain back some of the 45 pounds he lost while imprisoned 45 days at the bottom of a well.

The dog's owner, E. D. Ashley, was confident he could nurse his prize hunting back to health despite her long stay without food or water in the 16-foot deep well.

When Shag was found, Ashley didn't recognize her. She weighed only 10 pounds, was covered with sores and was so weak she could barely whimper.

But even near death, the dog answered her master's command to "lie down, Shag". This was how Ashley identified her.

After taking a short cut through a field behind Shag whimpers and found her in the dry, abandoned well, into which she apparently had fallen while quail hunting last July 5.

Ashley said Shag was "poor, you can take her ears and cover up her white face with them."

RUINS SHOES

If you go stockless and do not protect your shoes with socks, you will find that perspiration is ruining your shoes.

White Men Giving Indians And Eskimos Back Their Lost Health

EDMONTON.—The white men are paying back an old debt to Canada's native Indians and Eskimos.

When the Whites took over the country, they brought along diseases which affected the native population. Now Canadian medical men are giving the Indians and Eskimos back their lost health.

An X-ray survey for tuberculosis is being conducted among the Indians of Alberta and all the population of the Yukon and the Northwest Territories. In a geographical sense, it is the entire biggest health survey ever undertaken in Canada, perhaps in the world.

Directing the search for tuberculosis which also has brought to light other chest diseases, is Dr. Herbert Meltzer, medical director of the Dominion's Charles Camell Indian Hospital here. The former Winnipeg surgeon supervises the work of three X-ray teams which cover the vast expanse by automobile, plane and boat.

"Record of 1947—the latest available—show that the incidence of tuberculosis in Alberta was 21 Whites and 684 Indians for every 100,000 population," Dr. Meltzer said in an interview.

"This disease was reducing the Indian population. But in recent years with better health services being made available to them, all Indian agencies in Alberta are reporting population increases, some as high as six per cent. annually."

It is hoped the present X-ray survey will help to halt the alarming decrease in the Eskimo population, believed to number only a few thousand.

One of the worst outbreaks of tuberculosis located by the survey was at Coppermine, N.W.T., 850 miles north of Edmonton. Of 219 natives X-rayed, 23 had tuberculosis.

About eight of the victims will be sent to hospital at Athabasca, N.W.T.

Science Saves Wheat Crops With Chemicals

(By James H. Gray in Ottawa, Ontario)

CALGARY, — As the crop is harvested in Manitoba and ripens in Alberta, the crop engineers are again doing business at their old stand. Their guesses are ranging all the way from \$40,000,000 to \$400,000,000 bushels of wheat.

Regardless of the final outcome, these figures are profoundly significant. It is understood that the West has reached a stage of development where it can stand without anything like normal subsoil moisture, get less than normal rain during the growing season, and still come up with an average wheat crop.

For all this a lot of obscure scientists in chemical factories can come up with a formula to make a better crop. They didn't do it all at once, but in stages, with them the chances are that the West in 1949 would have come through with 100,000,000 bushels less wheat.

Two chemicals helped turn the trick—2-D and chlorodane. One of them vanquished the weeds. The other won the war against grasshoppers. In many sections of Saskatchewan damage from grasshoppers was extensive. The same has been true in areas of Alberta. But without chlorodane thousands of square miles of crop would have been completely destroyed.

There will probably never be any figures available on the amount of acreage sprayed with 2-D this year. It was all done in less than half an hour. Farmers, fearing a poor crop, often regarded spraying as sending good money after bad. But the evidence of the value of the weedicides is apparent to every observer through the glasses.

In a hot dry year such as this has been generally agreed between the wheat and grasshopper farmers that moisture always ends in a victory for the weeds. In fields where the weed infestation was heavy, there was no crop at all. Where the weeds had only a moderate hold there might be a light crop. Where there were no weeds there was wheat growing. The widespread use of weedicides has changed the face of the West. Years ago the Fortage plains were ablaze in August with yellow mustard. On a recent tour from Morden to Winnipeg and out to Fortage la Prairie, less than a dozen patches of mustard were noticed. The disappearance of mustard alone in some areas of Manitoba probably resulted in an increase of several million bushels in the total crop.

Actually, of course, this article makes the same mistake most other articles make about the West. It assumes there is some sort of entity, that band generalities that are valid in one locality apply to another locality, distance is too much and over such an area that no generality is accurate. In some localities almost no spraying has been done. In others, it has been the general practice.

What made crop failures in years gone by is a certain lack of rain. But it is also the fact that when there was the struggle for available moisture. And grasshoppers, thriving in the drought, administered knock-out blows to the weakened grain. Then, too, in the old days of black summer rainfall, high winds helped in producing crop failure by drifting the soil onto the growing crops. Today the extreme use of trash cover on summerfallow lands the soil stay put, prevented dust storms like we had in 1937.

To put it another way: What gave the West such a surprisingly good crop this year were the thousands of acres that yielded 10 or 12 bushels to the acre. In 1937, before 2-D and chlorodane, the same acreage had yielded nothing. Just as they would not have yielded nothing in the days before the combine because they would not have been high enough to harvest with a binder.

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Mrs. V. Torrance went to Islay this week to assist her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson who are selling out their farm home and taking up residence in Islay.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Taylor motored down from Edmonton to spend Sunday with relatives here.

Do not forget your Irma Rexall One Cent Sale that starts Oct. 26.

Mr. D. L. Robertson of Vancouver is now visiting at the homes of his son and daughter here.

Mrs. R. Matheson, Irene Matheson, Edward Hardy and Marjorie Hamilton all of Edmonton were Thanksgiving visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Myers.

Among others who spent the holiday here were Gordon Whitmore, Mrs. Gage and Irene Lambert.

The marriage took place recently of Marilyn Glendenning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glendenning of the Imperial Oil camp here, to Louis Minkler, also of Imperial Oil. The newlyweds are expected in Irma this week-end and will take up residence here.

Your own Irma Rexall One Cent Sale starts Oct. 26.

The W.M.T. will meet at the home of Mrs. K. Coffin on the evening of Wednesday, October 19 at 8:15. All interested ladies are very welcome to attend.

The regular Infant and Pre-School clinic will be held in the Irma Rest Room on Friday, Oct. 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gwynn of Spokane, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. P. Miller of Clayton, Wash., spent last week at the home of Mr. Gwynn's brother, Mr. Art Gwynn.

If you do not receive an Irma Rexall One Cent Sale Bill before October 26, call at your drug store for one.

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A warm five-roomed house in the Village of Viking, across from the Livery Barn. This house has been reshelving and freshly painted, has gas, electricity and water. Immediate possession. For further particulars apply Irma, Box 204. 14-23p

FOR SALE

1/4 section of land, SW quarter of 14-49-9 on gravel highway, half way between Irma and Mountainville, 1 1/4 miles from school. Buildings in good condition, good well. Apply Mrs. R. Matheson, 1414-92 St., Edmonton. 14-23p

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